

REMARKS

By this Amendment, Applicant proposes amending the Specification and claims 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, and 10. Upon entry of this Amendment, claims 1-11 remain pending.

In the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that claims 1-11 would be allowable if rewritten to overcome certain informalities (Office Action, page 3). The Examiner acknowledged that the application is in condition for allowance except for the indicated formal matters, and closed further prosecution of the application on the merits under *Ex parte Quayle*, 25 U.S.P.Q. 74, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 O.G. 213 (Comm'r Pat. 1935).

Applicant acknowledges with appreciation the Examiner's indication that claims 1-11 are drawn to allowable subject matter.

Applicant has made revisions to the Specification, which overcome the objection. The amended Specification does not include any new matter, in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b)(1).

With regard to the claims, the Examiner stated that "the expression 'either...and...' should be changed to 'either...or...'" (Office Action, page 2). Applicant has amended claims 1, 2, 6, 7, and 10 to improve grammar, readability, and form, and to overcome the objection. Applicant submits that the proposed amendments to the claims do not include new matter. In the Office Action, the Examiner states that "... 'and' should be changed to 'or' ..." in various portions of claims 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, and 10 (Office Action, pages 2-3). Applicant respectfully disagrees. Applicant submits that the phraseology used in amended claims 1, 2, 6, 7, and 10 is, indeed, proper alternative language. In addition, contrary to the Examiner's position, Applicant submits that following recitation in claim 9 is proper alternative language:

...one of an information reception mode in which information is received via a radio channel, a mail creation mode in which mail is created, and a mail browsing mode in which mail is browsed....

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Accordingly, Applicant requests withdrawal of the objection to claims 1, 2, 6, 7, 9, and 10 and withdrawal of the objection to the Specification.

Conclusion:

Applicant proposes amending the Specification and amending claims 1, 2, 6, 7, and 10, for the reasons previously indicated. By this Amendment, Applicant has addressed and resolved the formal matters indicated by the Examiner.


If, after consideration of this Amendment, the Examiner deems any issues still unresolved, Applicant respectfully urges the Examiner to promptly contact the undersigned representative by telephone to discuss any items of concern.

Please grant any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 required in entering this response. If there are any fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or 1.17, which are not enclosed, including any fees required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, please charge such fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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